## **RESOLUTION NO. 2017-010**

## A RESOLUTION PROVIDING NOTICE OF THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON'S INTENT TO COMMENCE COLLECTING TAXES, FEES, ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER REVENUE, AND INTENT TO COMMENCE THE DIRECT PROVISION OF PUBLIC SERVICES.

**WHEREAS**, the City of South Fulton ("City") is a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Act 421 of the 2016 session of the Georgia General Assembly (the "City Charter"), the City of South Fulton incorporates on May 1, 2017;

WHEREAS, Section 7.15(c) of the City Charter authorizes the elected Mayor and City Councilmembers to meet prior to May 1, 2017 and take actions to bind the City;

WHEREAS, on April 23, 2017, the Fulton County Board of Elections certified the election results of the runoff elections of the Mayor and City Councilmembers;

**WHEREAS**, Section 7.16(b) of the City Charter authorizes the City of South Fulton to provide written notice to Fulton County of its intent to collect any tax, fee, assessment, fine or forfeiture, other monies; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7.16(b) of the City Charter also authorizes the City of South Fulton to provide written notice to Fulton County of its intent to provide services or functions now being performed by Fulton County;

## BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council that:

- 1. The aforesaid recitals are not mere recitals, but are material portions of this Resolution;
- 2. The Interim City Attorney is instructed to place Fulton County on notice that the City seeks to commence collecting the following taxes, fees, assessments, fines or forfeitures, or other monies, on June 1, 2017:
  - a. All allowable franchise fees;
  - b. The Local Option Sales Tax ("LOST");
  - c. All allowable ad valorem taxes;
  - d. Insurance premium taxes; and
  - e. Insurance license fees;

- 3. The Interim City Attorney is further instructed to place Fulton County on notice that the City seeks to commence providing the following services between June 1, 2017, and September 1, 2017:
  - a. Planning and Development services;
  - b. Police Department services; and
  - c. Code Enforcement services.
- 4. The Interim City Manager is further instructed to engage in negotiations with public and private utilities for the purpose of entering into franchise agreements and/or adopting franchise fee ordinances.
- 5. Approval of Execution. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign all documents necessary to effectuate this Resolution. The City Clerk is authorized to execute, attest to, and seal any document that may be necessary to effectuate this Resolution, subject to approval as to form by the Interim City Attorney.
- 6. Severability. To the extent, any portion of this Resolution is declared invalid, unenforceable or non-binding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.
- 7. Repeal of Conflicting Provisions. All City resolutions are hereby repealed to the extent they are inconsistent with this Resolution.
- 8. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> The Title Mayor Pro Tem will be added behind the name of the person selected.

WILLIAM "BILL" EDWARDS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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